GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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AYURVEDA COURSES IN M.B.B.S. SYLLABUS
NARESH KUMAR PUGLIA

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Department of Indian Systems of Medicine & Homoeopathy has been lobbying with the Medical Council of India (MCI) to introduce Ayurveda in the course;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Medical Council of India thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) & (b) The Medical Council of India was requested to consider introducing a module on the basic principles and concepts of Ayurveda, Homoeopathy and Unani in the curriculum of MBBS students for their sensitization.

(c) The Medical Council of India have sought opinion of Directors, Medical Education of States, Deans/Principals of all the medical colleges.